# TWO NOTABLE GATHERINGS

(Continued from Third Page.)

union. Webster saw that with it was identified the cause of civilization on this continent. He felt that to break it up would be the signal for anarchy, probably for civil war and a social wreck. "Liberty and Union, one and inseparable," were words that embodied his deepest conviction. Hence he dealt with the slavery question in a spirit different from that of one who underconstitution and the Union, whatever thereof, must be affixed. his faults may have been, deserves the statue placed in his honor in front of wise than on demand, must be stamped the State-house in Boston. History will adjudge him to have been an honest tion thereof, whether they draw interpatriot, as well as a far-seeing states-

Bear with me while I briefly revert to as described above is revoked. our New England history. The character of the Puritan founders of New England is a question warmly contested. Dr. Palfrey, a man of great liberality, without sympathy with Puritan theology, who gave practical proof of his love of freedom, is considered by many to have written in a too apologetic vein. Certainly it is the fashion now to steer clear of any such imputation. This may be said, that no man is in a state of mind to judge fairly the Connecticut, unless, in the first place, he recognize the distinction between a ny stands midway between the family and the State. Nor is he then competent to judge unless he bears in mind have about all they can well attend to. that uniformity in religious professions as there are an unusal number of perand practices in a political community sons sick with the grip and other comhad been one of the ruling ideas of men plaints. Mrs. D. Stibbins has been from the first Christianizing of the Teutonic tribes and nations, to say nothing liam Kelsey went to New Haven for a of the feelings and precedents deeply rooted in a remoter past. Besides the inherited theory as to the function of the State, the record of religious factions begotten of the Reformation, or occasioned by it, intensified in the fathers of New England the dread of anarchy and social demoralization. Roger Williams was one of the few who, along with many erratic notions, caught sight press and C. H. Briscoe, will apply for a of the modern idea of the State as lim- charter for a street railroad in East ited in its functions, and of the civil authority as holding no divine commission to repress religious error. Give him whatever credit is due to him almost all his contemporaries.
But surely John Winthrop was as good a man as Roger Williams. Cer- developed pneumonia. tainly for no man did Williams cherish a deeper 'reverence and esteem. And, as the founder of a state, when all one of N. A. Fullerton's able assistants things are considered. Winthrop does at the Boston grocery, is the happy fanot stand upon a lower level than Wil- ther of a new nine pound baby girl. liams. In such an office there is required a combination of qualities. Jefferson Jews. Whatever grains of truth there

There have been many Israelites unlike Jacob, in being without guile. A single reflection shall bring these remarks to a close. I want to say that I have been impressed anew with the dignity of the vocation of the historian and the historical teacher, as connected with the particular function to which we have attended. Surely it is a high office to fulfil-that of rescuing from unmerited repreach the men of the past whose names have been clouded by sented with a lemonade set from the great which they have no right to wear. I had just written these sentences when there fell under my eye equivalent words from the pen of Tacitus. In the midst of his account of the crimes of Tiberious he pauses to say:

"I hold it to be the chief function of history not to leave virtuous deeds unrecorded, and to make the reprobation of posterity a terror to evil words and acts." The recollection of this great writer, of his dignity and power, is a warrant for saying that to historical scholars the world must look for the awards of a righteous judgment. The nearer they come to realizing the ideal of their calling, the more will they stand as the highest court of appeals that the limitations of our human life.

\*\*Sented with a lemonade set from the y. P. S. C. E.

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## CURIOUS POISONING CASE.

Wealthy New York Woman Takes Cyanide of Potassium for Bromo Seltzer. New York, Dec. 28 .- Mrs. Kate Adams, a well-to-do woman, was fatally poisoned to-day in her handsomely furnished to-day in her handsomely furnished apartments on Eighty-sixth street. Her death is connected with a curious chain of events. Mrs. Adams was a widow, fifty years old. She lived with her sonin-law, Edward Rogers, general agent in this city of the Hartford, Conn., Insurance company. Harry Cornish, a well known athlete and physical director of the Knickerbocker Athletic club. boards with the Rogers family. Mrs. Adams awoke this morning with a bad | 519 George street. headache. Her daughter, Mrs. Rogers, advised her to take some bromo seltzer. Mrs. Rogers hunted around, but found and family, has had a slight attack of none of the required medicine. Finally the grip upon reaching Old Point. she remembered that there was some bromo seltzer, in Mr. Cornish's room. This she got and gave to her mother, "Rob Rackett's Pajamas," written in who took a fair sized dose. In a few collaboration with Jane Marlin, is seconds Mrs. Adams was in great pain spending the heliday season with his and evidently suffering from the ef- wife at their Chapel street home. Mr. fects of a strong poison. Dr. Hitchcock | Lacey is just back from a successful was called in by Mr. Cornish. He tried trip to California. to counteract the effects of the poison, after tasting the alleged bromo seltzer and declaring it to be evanide of potassium, Mr. Cornish also tasted the poisonous stuff. In a few minutes both Mr. Cornish and Dr. Hitchcock were prostrated by the effects of the slight quantity of poison they had takeh. Dr. Pot-try was called in. He revived the two en, but Mrs. Adams died.

Mr. Cornish states that on Christmas day he received a neat package addressed to himself containing a sterling silver medicine bottle holder in a Tiffany box and in the holder was a bot-tle marked "Bromo Seltzer." The pack-ginning his sickness. age was anonymously sent, but Cornish says he thought nothing of this, as he frequently gets presents in this way. It was this bottle that Mrs. Rogers got for her mother, and out of which Mrs. Adams drank with fatal effect. Mr. Cornish says he cannot think who could have had any designs on his life.

CERTIFICATES OF DEPOSIT.

Stamps Required Under the Internal

Revenue Tax Law Commissioner Scott of the internal revenue department has made the following decision regarding stamps required on certificates of deposit;

Demand certificates of deposit not drawing interest require only a 2-cent stamp regardless of the amount.

Certificates of deposit payable on demand, but drawing interest, if money is rated the value of the Union, and in left on deposit for a specified time, rehis forecast of the future caught no quire a 2-cent stamp when issued, but glimpse of civil war with its attendant if paid subsequent to the time interhorrors and possible ruin. Posterity est accrues, additional stamps at the will not doubt that the defender of the rate of 2 cents per \$100 or fraction

Certificates of deposit payable otherat the rate of 2 cents per \$100 or fracest or not. A previous decision regarding stamping of certificates of deposit

### CHESHIRE.

Dec. 28 .- The Christmas services Sunday in the Congregational and Episcopal churches in the morning were very taining their callers by Mr. and Mrs. interesting. A special programme of Frank Field of Brooklyn, Mrs. O. W. music was very fine by the choirs. In King of Southampton, L. I., sister of the evening the exercises were for the Mrs. Field; Mrs. Juliet Field and George Sunday school children, consisting of C. Field of Madison, mother and brothsome recitations by the children of the er of the host. Puritan founders of Massachusetts and school and a short address by the pastors. On Monday evening the Methodist Sunday school held its Christmas Field wore a costume of lavender and settlement or colony in its infancy, and exercises in the church, which were white, the bodice a tasteful combinaa full-fledged commonwealth. A colo- largely attended and the children were made happy by many gifts.

The three doctors in town just now critically ill for some days. Mrs. Wilshort visit a few days since and was taken ill, so that she is not able to re-

### PERSONAL MENTION.

Israel A. Kelsey, S. Harrison Wagner, George F. Mathewson, Lyman All-

James Carr, the well known politician O'Rourke of Naugatuck engraved upon of the Second ward, is seriously ill at it, and an effort will be made to find out for taking a step in advance of his home, 25 Winthrop avenue, from the owner, pneumonia. He first had the grip, which

> Robert B. Mercer of 380 George street, one of N. A. Fullerton's able assistants

iting his sister, Mrs. Richard H. Tyner somewhere compares the character of on Livingston street. Mr. Noons exthe New Englanders to that of the pects to spend several days in New Haven, and will then go to Massachusetts. are, or were, in this comparison, it is where he will visit relatives and friends. not altogether a reproach. Even Jacob, The engagement is announced of Miss in the spirit of his dealings with Esau, Olga Smith to H. J. Beckman of this may not be attractive; yet it has been truly said of Jacob that he was a bet-

Burgess Bushnell and Druggist Simpson of Southington are laid up with an attack of the grip,

Mrs. O. W. King of Southampton, L. L, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. F. W. Field of Lynwood street.

At the Baptist church Christmas tree festival in Branford the retiring superintendent, E. C. Johnson, was presented with a silk umbrella by the school. Rev. Mr. McKean was the recipient of a handsome etching framed in gilt from his class of young ladles. defamation, and who can utter no word and Miss Elizabeth Johnson was presented with a lemonade set from the Y. P. S. C. F.

company's works, where an extensive addition is in course of erection. Mrs. Simon Shoninger of Orange street spent Christmas with her brother, Alexander Steinert, at his home on Back Bay, Boston, Mass.

Delos J. Bristol is very ill at his home, Miss Isabelle Cromwell, who went to Old Point Comfort with Prof. Richards

Harry Lacey, the actor, who made such an emphatic hit in vaudeville in

The many friends of Miss Hetty Son-

BOOTH AUCTION CO.

The Booth Auction and Commission of Company has opened an auction and commission house at 75 Orange street. Frank I Booth is the Auctioneer and manager, and has had a long experience in this business, having been for many years associated with his father. B. Booth, the leading auctioneer of the City. The rooms occupied by the company are large and well adapted for the business. The place was formerly occupied by the company are large and well adapted for the business. The place was formerly occupied by the company are large and well adapted for the business. The place was formerly occupied by the company are large and well adapted for the business. The place was formerly occupied by the company are large and well adapted for the business. The place was formerly occupied by the company are large and well adapted for the business. The place was formerly occupied by the company are large and well adapted for the business. The place was formerly occupied by the company are large and well adapted for the business. The place was formerly occupied by the company and the business in the possible occupied by the company and the business in the possible occupied by the company and the business in the public occupied by the company and the business in the public occupied by the company and the business in the possible occupied by the company and the business in the possible occupied by the company and the business in the public occupied by the company and the business in the public occupied by the company and the business in the public occupied by the company and the business in the public occupied by the company and the business in the public occupied by the company and the business in the public occupied by the company and the business in the public occupied by the company and the business in the control occupied by the company and the business in the control occupied by the company and the business in the control occupied by the company and the company and the business in the control occupied by the

lax and pink and white carnations. Mrs. tion of silk, velvet and narrow shirred ribbon. Guitar and mandolin players furnish-

The decorations were of palms, smi-

ed delightful music for the reception. Several handsome and costly presents were received. There were many invited guests present.

DESERTER FROM U. S. A.

John Brown Arrested Last Evening by Patrolman Horan.

Patrolman Horan last evening arrested John D. Brown as he was attempting to dispose of a watch, stick pin and handkerchief to a dealer for a do lar Brown is a deserter from the United States army, and that is the charge on which he will be tried this morning. He formerly resided at 170 East street, this city.

The watch had the name of Lydla

A CARD OF THANKS.

The management of Day nursery work take pleasure in publicly acknowledging their indebtedness to the Edward Malley company for their very acceptable gift to the work-a check for This sum represents the receipts Ernest Noons of Lincoln, Neb., is vis- of the opening days of their happy idea of a tea room for the convenience of

> A HAPPY CHRISTMAS PARTY. The home of Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Parmelee of Quinnipiac avenue was the scene of a happy Christmas party. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Parmelee of Providence and Mr. and Mrs. Edward G. Wilbur of Boston.

F. W. Lloyd advance agent for o'The Stowaways," which comes to the Grand To opera house for the first three days of next week, was in town last evening.

## City Advertisements.

HOWARD AVENUE BUILDING LINES, To the Honorable Court of Common Council of the City of New Haven:
The Director of Public Works respectfully reports that, as ordered by the Court of Common Council, he has caused a survey and layout and an assessment of damages and benefits to be made for the establish-

Mrs. N. D. Sperry, Mrs. Frothingham and Master Newton Frothingham will go to Washington next week with Congressman Sperry. They will stop at the Hotel Buckingham as usual.

Miss Josephine McKean of Branford left on Tuesday to visit friends in New London.

Mr. and Mrs. William F. Brook of 314 Crown street have gone to Boston to visit Mrs. Brook's mother and sister.

H. Wales Lines of Meriden was in Branford Tuesday looking over the situation at the Malleable Iron Fittings company's works, where an extensive addition is in course of execution.

and Hartford railroad, hereby respectfully report that we have attended to the duty assigned us.

That we caused reasonable notice to be given to all persons Interested in the said public improvement, in all respects pursuant to the provisions of the charter of said city, to appear before us and be heard in reference thereto, and we fully heard at the time and place specified in said notice, all persons who appeared before us.

And we do assess and determine the damages and benefits equal to all persons or parties interested in the foregoing proposed public improvement.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

A. M. HILLER, FRED C. LUM, C. T. COYLE,

Bureau of Compensation.

City of New Haven, Nov. 7, A. D. 1808.
In Court of Common Council—Read, accepted, building line established, and as sessments laid as reported.

Approved December 19, 1808.
Payable Jahuary 4, 1866.

At true copy of record.

Attest:

BICHARD F. LYON, 428 31. City Clerk.

RICHARD F. LYON, City Clerk.

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d28 3t City Clerk.

WILLOW STREET BRIDGE, LAYOUT
AND ASSESSMENT.

To the Honorable Court of Common Council
of the City of New Haven:
The Director of Public Works respectfully
reports that, as ordered by the Court of
Common Council, he has caused a survey
and layout and an assessment of damages
and benefits to be made for the construction
of a bridge on Willow Street, across Mill
filver, and the approaches between View
Street and Mechanic Street, the grade of
which, as surveyed and laid out by film,
is shown by the red line on a profile map,
dated May 28, 1891, on file in the office of
the City Engineer, which profile is made a
part of this layout.

All parties affected by the said improvement were duly notified and given full opportunity for a hearing in the case.

The report of the Bureau of Compensation
upon said improvement is herewith transmitted, and, after careful consideration, the
Director respectfully recommends the
adoption of this layout, and the assessment
of damages and benefits recommended in
the accompanying report of the Bureau of
Compensation.

Respectfully submitted,

the accompanying report of the Bureau of Compensation.

Respectfully submitted,

WM. S. BEECHER,
Director of Public Works.

City of New Haven, Nov. 7, 1898.

To the Director of Public Works of the City of New Haven:
The Rureau of Compensation, to whom was referred the order of said Director bearing date the 18th day of November, A. D., 1898, directing the assessment and determination by this Bureau of all damages and benefits to accrue to all parties interested by the construction of a bridge across Mill. River, on Willow Street, and the approaches between View Street and Mechanic Street, hereby respectfully report that we have attended to the duty assigned us.

That we caused reasonable notice to be given to all persons interested in the said public improvement, in all respects pursuant to the provisions of the Charter of said City, to appear before us and be heard in reference thereto; and we fully heard, at the time and place specified in said notice, ill persons who appeared before us.

And we do assess and determine the damages and benefits equal to all persons or parties interested in the foregoing proposed public improvement.

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All of which is respectfully submitted, A. M. HILLER, FRED. C. LUM, C. T. COYLE, Bureau of Compensation.

City of New Haven, Nov. 7, A. D. 1898. In Court of Common Council—Read, as cepted, and assessments had as reported. Approved December 19, 1898.

Recorded December 27, 1898.

Payable January 4, 1899.

A true copy of record.

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HENRY STREET BUILDING LINE.

A true copy of record.

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HENRY S. GEET BUILDING LINE.

To the Honorable Court of Common Council of the City of New Haven:

The Director of Public Works respectfully reports that, as ordered by the Court of Common Conneil, he has caused a survey and layout and an assessment of damages and benefits to be made for the establishment of building line on Henry street, the line of which, as surveyed and laid out by him, is described as follows, viz.;

Between Asimus street and Dixwell avenue, building line on Henry street, south side, to be 12 feet back and parallel with street line.

The line of the above described layout of building line is fully shown by the red line upon a map of the said layout on file in the office of the City Engineer, which map is made a part of fibis layout.

All parties affected by the said layout of building line were duly notified and given full opportunity for a hearing in the case.

The report of the Bureau of Compensation upon said layout and the establishment of a grade and building lines thereon is herewith transmitted, and, after careful consideration, the Director respectfully recommends the adoption of this layout and the assessment of damages and benefits recommended in the accompanying report of the Bureau of Compensation.

Hespectfully submitted.

WM. S. BEECHER

City of New Haven, Nov. 7, 1808.

To the Director of Public Works of the City of New Haven.

The Bureau of Compensation, to whom was referred the order of said Director bearing date the 18th day of October, A. D. 1808, directing the assessment and determination by dis Bureau of all damages and benefits to accure to all parties interested by the establishment of building line on Henry street, south side, between Ashmun street and Dixwell avenue, hereby respectfully report that we have attended to the day assigned us.

That we caused reasonable notice to be given to all person or parties interested in the foregoing proposed public improvement, in all respects pursuant to the pro

TOWNSEND STREET BUILDING LINE. TOWNSEND STREET BUILDING LINE. To the Honorable Court of Common Council of the City of New Haven:
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The many friends of Miss Hetty Sonnenberg will be pleased to hear that she is improving slowly and that her physicians hope for her uitimate recovery. Miss Sonnenberg was on the eve of leaving for Chicago for a visit to her sister, Mrs. Charles Rothschild, when stricken with appendicitis.

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the day's trading and this was contrary to the tendency abroad, London having bought some 25,000 shares on balance. The volume of business was large, although not up to yesterday's record-breaking figures. The greater

part of the business to-day was during the morning rise, while the afternoon's decline was also accompanied by a burst of animation. There was no change in the favorable tenor of the news except that the Vanderbilt reports were not considered up to bullish expectation. Regular dividends were declared in Vanderbilt stocks and American bacco. Traffic reports were generally gratifying. Burlington's surplus for November increased nearly \$238,000; New Jersey Central for November in-creased over \$61,000, while the net increase of Northern Pacific for five months was over \$393,000. While stocks were strong at the opening, New York prices were not up to those of London. where Americans were buoyant. International Paper, General Electric and some other industrials made new high records. The grangers and coalers were strong. The advance in the latter stocks, a great part of which was retained throughout, was perhaps explained by a subsequent announcement that anthracite prices had been ordered advanced at Buffalo and Chicago. became evident that there had been large realizing sales on yesterday's and teto-day's bulges in prices and traders attacked the general list with considerable success. Prices rallied somewhat from the lowest, but a sharp call money, which for a time advanced to 6 per cent., although subsequently it eased off to about yesterday's quotations, gave the bears an opportunity to effect marked declines in prices, but the ecurities sold were readily absorbed. Sugar was weak, owing to the trade situation in the early dealings when the July rest of the list was strong and at the CORN: close was an exception to the general close was an exception to the general weakness. Pittsburg Cincinnati, Chicago and St. Lauis was strong on the PORK: idea that the Pennsylvania system was to be unified in a similar manner to Land:
that in progress in the Vanderbils. An incident of the special of th

to yesterday's enormous dealings at the opening. The stock soon manifested weakness and late in the day assumed prominence in the reaction, offerings being on a large scale. The bond market was irregular in spots, but active issues suffered somewhat in the late transactions.

incident of the speculation at the outset

was the apparent subsidence of interest in Federal Steel. Transactions were in

small amounts and in markd contrast

United States old fours coupon advanced 1-4 in the bid price.

Fales, \$5,400,000.

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET.

Opening, Highest, Lowest Quotations on the New York Stock Exchange, reported by Prince & Whitely, Brokers, 15 Center street, New Haven.

Am. Sugar Co	121 14316 194	124 14334	121%	12235
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	ROLL	255.00	18000	18%
Brooklen R T Po	7711	22.75	200	701
Canada Southern	57	22.78	rate.	200
Central of N. J	9446	0.514	0.112	0417
Chesa, & Oblo	2365	951E	95	25,75
C., B. & Q	12414	1244	12354	123
C., Milw. & St. P	1193%	120	118%	118
Chl. & N'western	142%	14246	14134	141.5
Chie, R. I. & Pe. C., St. P. M. & O Chie, & Gt. West. C., C., C. & St. L., Con. Gas Dela & Hudson	1145	6 4145	4 113	1134
C., St. P., M. & O	1933	1939/6	1921/9	924
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Dela	1.016	3.417	140%	11.939
Coneval Montrie	Chres.	07	1434	145
Hilling's Central	115	117	111	714
Louis & Nusch	61514	62773	64	42.41
Man. Elevated	98	98	9715	07
Met. St. Rallway.	19004	191	189	1900
Mo., K. & T. Pfd	37%	3814	37	371
Missouri Pacific	48	46	4416	44.
National Lead Co	3994	39%	37	373
N. Y. Central	12332	123%	122%	123
N. Y., Ont. & W.,	18	18	1759	179
Norfolk & W. Pfd.	63	63.5	62%	625
Northern Pacine	4414	4474	44	43%
Davids Mail	1999	1854	76%	7.7
Ponna Control	1991	1007/	199	100
Pullman	150	15177	122	122
Paonles' Gas Co	1104	1100	100	1001
Phila & Reading	1996	2011	10.4	200
Do 1st Pfd	48%	4914	4715	481
Southern Ry Pfd	12%	4236	4117	417
Tenn. Coal & Iron.	384	38%	3614	365
Union Pacific	4234	4314	42%	425
Do Pfd	74%	74%	7214	725
U. S. Rubber Co	45	40	4456	441
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Closing Prices.
Following are the closing prices reported by Prince & Whites, sinusers and Brokers, 52 Broadway, New York, and 55 Center st...
New Haven.
Hid. Asked.

American Cotton Oli Co..... Do Pfd American Express Co. American Spirits Co... 

Active Quotations of Bonds.

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Reported by Boody, McLellan & Co., Rankers and Brokers, 57 Broadway, New York, and 87 Orange Street, New Haven. Bld Asked 

Government Bonds. Bid Asked S. Ss. 7eg. S. Ss. 7eg. S. Ss. coupon. S. Ss. small bonds. reg. 1907. coupon, 1907. reg. 1925. coupon, 1925. 48, coupon, 1025. 1284/a1204, 58 reg., 1904. 11294/a1139, 58, coupon, 1904. 11294/a1129, Currency 68, 1839. 10274/a. Cherokee 48, 1839. 10234/a. D. C. 3-658. 118 @

Chicago Market. Reported over private wire by H. C. Friedman & Co., Bankers and Brokers, 10 Wall Street, N. Y., and 763 Chapel Street, Room 2 and 3. New Haven, N. A. Tanner, Manager of Local Branch.

Opening Highest Lowest Close 39% 3844 2834 28 .. 10.65 10.70 9.60 May .... 9.60

Financial.

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\$10,000 International Silver Co. 1st Gold 6's.

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